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Senate File 150

January 30, 1947  
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By PUBLIC HEALTH.

A BILL FOR

An Act to amend section two hundred forty-nine point eighteen (249.18), Code 1946, relating to the payment of reasonable funeral expenses from the old age assistance fund so as to increase maximum payments and allowances.

*Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

1     Section 1. Section two hundred forty-nine point eighteen  
2     (249.18), Code 1946, is amended by striking the words “one  
3     hundred dollars” wherever they appear in said section and by  
4     substituting therefor the words “one hundred fifty dollars”; and  
5     by striking the words “two hundred dollars” wherever they appear  
6     in said section and by substituting therefor the words “three  
7     hundred dollars.”

1     Sec. 2. This Act being deemed of immediate importance  
2     shall be in full force and effect after publication in the  
3     ....., a newspaper published at  
4     ....., Iowa and the .....,  
5     a newspaper published at ....., Iowa.  
6     Said publication shall be without expense to the State of Iowa.

EXPLANATION OF S. F. 150

Rising costs make it impossible to furnish a minimum cost funeral for deceased recipients of old age assistance within the present limitation of one hundred dollars. This fact is recognized by all concerned and it is believed that the proposed raise in maximum payments and allowances will solve the problem for the foreseeable future.